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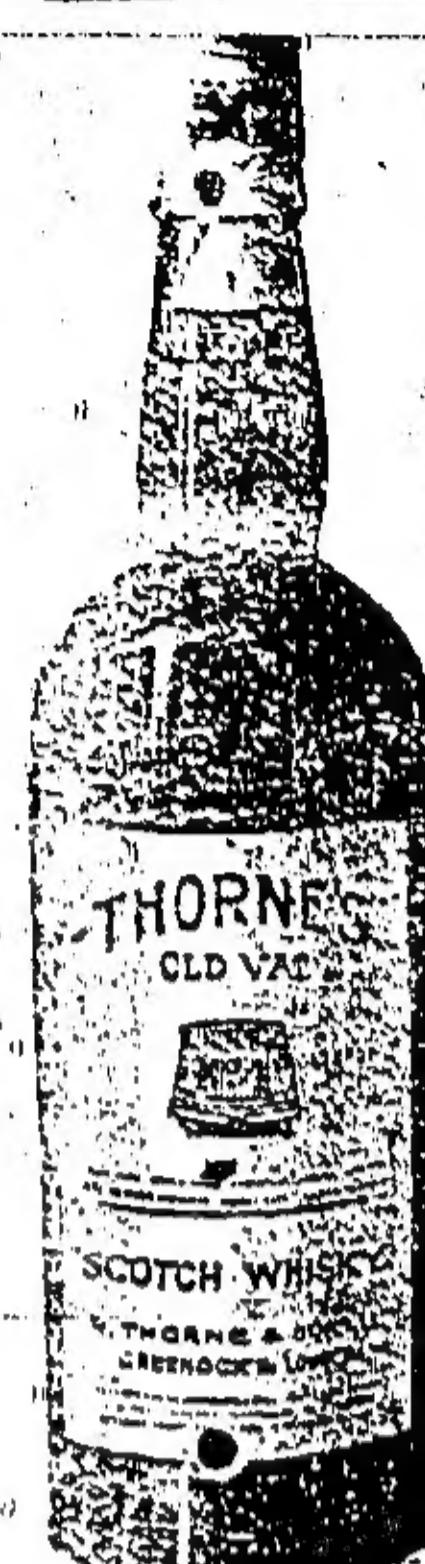
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Hongkong, November 16, 1909. 1424

BIG FIRE IN SZECHUAN.

At a place called Kwaichow in Szechuan province a very big conflagration has just occurred. The fire began in a private house and as there was a strong wind blowing, it soon took hold, and became unmanageable. It is said that more than two thousand houses were burnt. About eight thousand persons have been rendered homeless, and one hundred and twenty lives have been sacrificed. Whilst the fire was in progress many people moved their possessions to two temples of the God of Fire thinking that they would be immune therefrom. Both temples were full of treasure all that was stored in them. The Viceroy is busy getting subscriptions for the assistance of those who have been deprived of both house and sustenance.

IRON FROM CHINA.

An important interesting development of trade with China is reported by Vice Consul-Baugh (U.S.A.) from Hankow. A contract running for fifteen years has been signed between the Hanyang Iron and Steel Works of Hankow and the Western Steel Corporation at Irondale, Washington, by which the Chinese producers guarantee to lay down not less than 30,000 tons of pig iron and iron ore each year, the American consumers agreeing to take most of the plant's output up to a maximum of 100,000 tons a year.

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The association of musicians of Stuttgart are men of action and the journalists of Wurtemberg can not when occasion demands. It seems that a certain newspaper recently criticised adversely the doings of the corporation, whereupon the musicians sent an offensive letter to the editor not only demanding its retraction, but calling for dismissal of the writer. This was concert as far as the musicians were concerned. Next we have the harmony of the journalists. A meeting was called, and it was decided by the whole Wurtemberg Press to insert a short note in their papers stating that they had decided to ignore the coming festival of the association which was being organised in honour of Schumann.

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Hongkong, June 18, 1910.

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BY ORDER OF THE GENERAL COMMITTEE.

Hongkong, July 28, 1910.

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Hongkong, January 9, 1909. 518

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Hongkong, June 11, 1910. 743

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TENDERS FOR REVENUE FARMS.

TENDERS are invited for the lease of the REVENUE FARMS in the State of NORTH BORNEO from Jan. 1, 1911, as set out hereunder:

Tenders will be received at the Office of the Government Secretary, Sandakan, up to 12 o'clock Noontime on the 1st day of OCTOBER, 1910, for the purchase of the exclusive rights of the Farms mentioned below for a period of 1, 2 or 3 years commencing on the 1st January, 1911.

The Farms above referred to are the Opium, Spirit, Gambling and Pawnbroking Farms for the whole or part of the State. Copies of the Forms of Contracts for the Farms and full particulars of the conditions to be observed by tenders may be seen on application at the Office of the Government Secretary, Sandakan, or of Messrs. Gibbs, Livingston & Co., at Hongkong.

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Hongkong, July 23, 1910. 521

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Both men were accompanied by English wives, who, the litigants being unable to speak or understand English clearly, were sworn as interpreters.

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Jim Lee indignantly protested that he was and at once produced her marriage certificate for the satisfaction of the judge.

His Honour Judge Brown said it did not matter very much; but the marriage was clearly in order.

Jim Lee explained to the Court his husband paid £3 to release the defendant from the police, 15/- of the remaining amount being for the services of the interpreter who appeared in the case. Defendant had the sum of £47s. 6d. to find to prevent his going to prison as a result of the bickering.

Plaintiff's Wife—He was not there. Plaintiff's Wife—He was.

His Honour asked if the plaintiff had any paper to show.

Plaintiff's Wife—No sir. We never bothered about a paper.

Defendant—Plaintiff denied owing him money to plaintiff. He said he need money to someone but he was fast in the hands of the police, and did not know who brought the money.

Mrs. Mon Lee said Jim Lee's woman went to Hyde for the money.

Plaintiff's Wife—That person knew we paid them back. (Laughter).

Defendant—Have you got a receipt?

Defendant's Wife—We do not believe it.

His Honour (to defendant)—You must pay the money. How much can you pay?

Defendant said the plaintiff had gone about telling people he owed the money, and his business was ruined in consequence. He had told the landlord, and wanted them to clear out of the shop. He only got about £1 a week from the laundry.

His Honour made an order for £1 a month.

CHINAMEN AND ENGLISH WIVES.

Stockport Court Scene.

At the Stockport County Court the other day two English wives of Chinese laundrymen interpreted for them in a peculiar case.

The quarrel was a sequel to a police prosecution in which Mon Lee, a Chinese laundryman, in business in Heaton Norris, Stockport, was summoned and fined in March this year for stabbing a little girl in the eye with a hairpin. The Chinese's explanation of the offence was that he was considerably annoyed by children looking through the keyhole, and he only pushed the hairpin through to frighten them.

Mon Lee was now sued by Jim Lee, another Chinese laundryman, for the sum of £2 10s. which the last-named, alleged, was paid by him to release his full counterman from being sent to prison.

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STUART, from the originals in the possession of Mr C. E. S. CHAMBERS, which supplement the information afforded by the Stuart documents, or rather show us the other, or Hanoverian side, of the shield. From the narrative and commentaries of the anonymous Whig writer, who, besides retailing hearsay reports to his correspondent (identified as Sir ARTHUR STUART-DENNIS of Coltness), was himself a spectator or actor in interesting passages of the drama, it is still more evident than from the Jacobite chronicles that the Government of the day were face-to-face with a movement which engaged, in Scotland at least, the eager sympathies of a large mass of the nation.

A little matter—the earlier landing of the Prince, the success of the plots for the seizure of Edinburgh and of the Castle, above all a turn in favour of Mac in the wavering fortunes of battle at Sheriffmuir—might have changed the tide of war, and perhaps altered the course of history. Of the part played by the Cameronians and allied clans in the ambiguous fight where—as the old Jacobite song runs:—"we ran and they ran awa', man," a detailed account is given by EVAN CAMERON of Lochiel, who writes from Ulst in July, 1715, a narrative of the faithful and loyal services rendered to four generations of the Royal Stuart by four generations of his name. He arrived on the moor, after a march from Inverary, on the morning of the battle. The haste with which the Jacobite Army moved in columns, to take up position occasioned some confusion, "though never men marched with more cheerfulness." The horse were all drawn to the right, leaving the left uncovered, and LOCHIEL had to draw up in the second line behind Lowland foot regiments, instead of in the front line, "where I should have been by the order of battle." He thus describes the catastrophe that befel MAR's left:

"Whilst my men were drawing up close by a regiment of Lowland foot, who were formed in my front, I being on the right of the front of my own men, waiting impatiently for an opening by which I could get a view of the enemy, in order to advance and attack them, this regiment of foot, after firing on the enemy and receiving their fire, broke in all at once on my regiment, and carried them off before half of them were formed, or of M'KINNON's men, who were drawing up with them, as well some of the Macphersons."

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Monday, the 1st prox being a public holiday, the Post Office will be open for one hour only i.e., from 8 to 9 a.m. There will be no delivery and a collection of letters as on Sundays. The Money Order Office will be entirely closed.

In the event of the arrival of the French Mail from Europe, the Post Office will be open one hour for the delivery thereof.

The Banks and the Fire and Marine Offices will be closed.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

The Bishop of Victoria will preach at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, to-morrow at the 8 p.m. Service.

The Government is inviting tenders for the stalls, etc., at the new Market at Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon.

A fee of \$1,000 was imposed at the Magistracy to-day on a native who had been caught selling opium wrappings in the Colony.

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The German Mail of the 30th June was delivered in London on the 29th July.

At the Durham Assizes on June 30, Mr Justice Grantham sentenced a man named Fallon to five years' penal servitude and eight others to terms ranging from three months to eighteen months for rioting during a strike of miners at Bardon, where a disturbance worth £10,000 was buried to the ground.

As showing how great has been the improvement in Army shooting during recent times, it may be mentioned that the 1st Norfolk Regiment, at Aldershot, has done wonderfully well at musketry this year, having a figure of merit of 107.4, with 47 marksmen, 178 first-class shots, 200 second class, and only 19 third-class. The best shot in the battalion is Colour-Sergeant Sargent, with 107.

The Daily Mail is offering a prize of £10,000 for a circular flight of 1,000 miles to be made by aeroplane during the second week in July of next year. The course will be from London via Harrogate, Newcastle, Edinburgh, Stirling, Glasgow, Carlisle, Manchester, Bristol, Exeter, Newport, Brighton, and Tunbridge Wells, the finishing point being Loudon. The prize will be awarded to the competitor who completes the course in the shortest time.

Visitors to Japan will find a good deal of interesting and valuable information in a little pamphlet entitled "The Climate of Obama and Unzen," printed at the Nagasaki Press office. Obama is only a short distance from Nagasaki and its numerous springs and well kept hotels are known to many residents in Chinese Treaty ports. The hill district of Unzen, with its glorious scenery and other attractions, should draw a larger number of visitors every year. It only requires to be better known.

There is a good deal of correspondence going on in Canton relative to the additional tax to be levied upon native spirits. The local officials are apparently at their wits' end to find money to carry on the administration. There is an additional tax on prepared opium; another on the Salt Monopoly, and now it is suggested that a tax be levied upon native spirits. It appears that one firm is willing to give a million dollars per annum for the privilege of farming this branch of the revenue. It does not appear to be settled yet, who is to have the monopoly, but as far as reports go it is only a question of time when the Leung Kwok-tsun.

On the nineteenth of the present Chinese month, an employee of the San Tseng, Foreign Hong, was arrested. Two follows of the bawo sort had set fire to some place, and though the said employee was in no way implicated, a set of roughs watched their opportunity, arrested him, and dragged him before some minor magistrate. But apparently the official did not take the matter very seriously. In any case the man was compelled by his captors to sign a paper promising to give them a certain sum of money after which he would be released and nothing further would be said about the matter. Meanwhile the Firm heard of what was going on, and were able to trace their employee. They sent to the Namhoi magistrate at once, and the man was immediately released. This incident shows what a certain class of Chinese are willing to do in order to raise a little money.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

To-day is the tenth anniversary of the accession of Victor Emmanuel III of Italy.

H.E. the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to recognise provisionally and pending the receipt of His Majesty's executive, Mr A. E. Carlton as Vice and Deputy Consul-General of the United States of America in Hongkong.

His Majesty the King has been pleased to approve the appointment of the Hon. Mr Henry Kewick to be an Unofficial member of the Executive Council during the absence of the Hon. Sir C. P. Chater.

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## THE COLOWAN PIRATES.

## SEVEN CAPTURED AT DUMBELL ISLAND.

On the Track of the Chieftain.

There can be no doubt but that quite a number of the piratical residents of Colowan Island have escaped in some manner or other, for already tales are in circulation of renowned depredations on the part of outlaws who are known to have recently left the spot. Last night through the activities of Sergt. Gordon, the police officer stationed at Cheung Chau, or Dumbell Island, a gang of seven such men were captured, and they are now in custody in Hongkong gaol.

It appears that Sergt. Gordon was with his brother-in-law, Mr Harry Best, of Formosa, walking along the beach of the island last night, conversing on the subject of pirates when one of the native constables came and informed the officer that a strange boat had put in. Suspecting the possibility of the craft being in command of Colowan pirates a sampao was procured and the strange vessel, which turned out to be an oyster boat, boarded. It was at once apparent that a capital capture had been made, for out of about 13 men on the boat it was seen that half were imprisoned in a cabin while the others were in charge. It was soon gleamed that seven pirates had pirated the boat and brought her to the island. Accordingly, Sergt. Gordon got the boat alongside of the police jetty, took "the suspected seven into custody and had them conveyed to the police station. A search was then made of the boat and two Mauver rifles of German make were found, as well as about 150 rounds of ammunition for the same, while a couple of revolvers with about 50 rounds of ammunition were also discovered, together with a number of bolts and bandoliers. A letter couched in somewhat ambiguous terms was also found, one of its passages reading:—"Get the money, meet, and return home."

The whole incident was later explained by one of the imprisoned boatmen. He said he was fishing with the others off Sze Tong, opposite Colowan Island, at about midnight on the 26th inst. when the seven pirates, who had evidently come alongside in a sampao, boarded the fishing boat. They threatened the occupants at the point of revolvers that if they did not take them where they wanted to go they would be shot. There was nothing to do but to submit, and the pirates then took charge of the boat, making the fishermen do all the work. Since then they had been going from island to island and arrived in Cheung Chau last evening about five o'clock.

The seven pirates were this morning brought into Hongkong and at once taken to the Central Police Station, where they hid impressions of their finger-prints taken. They were subsequently charged by the Magistracy with being in possession of arms and ammunition and also with being in possession of a fishing boat stolen outside the Colony's waters. They were all formally remanded. One of the seven who is alleged to be the leader of the gang was found to be in possession of a considerable sum of money, as well as jewellery and other booty supposed to have been plundered. The pirates find themselves little man and the police find them very unimpressive. One of the others admits coming from Colowan and says he is a bricklayer by trade but was pursued by the others to join in piratical work.

The same night as these arrests were made word was brought to Sergt. Gordon that altogether three strange boats had put in at Dumbell Island and that one of these landed six men, who belonged to the village, took the felas ashore, paid them \$2 each and then put them on a steamer running to Macao. They then appeared to have commanded the junk and sailed away in the direction of Aberdeen. As soon as this news was known Sergt. Gordon set off after the pirates but although he made a thorough search he was unable to get hold of or even sight them. Nothing has been seen either of the third strange boat.

It is reported that the No. 1 chief of the Colowan pirates was on Dumbell Island for about three days last week, and efforts are now being made by the police to track him down. He has evidently left the island, but every possible step will be taken to get hold of him, and the police at Aberdeen, Shaukiwan, and at neighbouring stations having been advised to keep a sharp lookout.

## THE PIRATE TROUBLE.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

MACAO, July 29.

Four pirates from the Police Force in bivouac at Colowan sauntered haphazardly into a carpenter's shop picked up a man who had huddled up in a corner and cut him down in the arm, the soldier remaining unarmed. The captive was escorted to Macao by a corporal and two privates in a launch now on the daily run between the two points. Late in the day the men came across another suspicious character in a fellow some distance away. The new find also was wounded and seemed utterly exhausted. He was found by Dr Andrade and conveyed to Macao on a stretcher.

The Portuguese forces are returning this evening at 8 o'clock leaving a contingent of one hundred men on the island.

Major Joaquim A. Santos has been given the military command of Taipa and Colowan. He took up the added duties of "Administrator do Conselho," President of the Municipal Council, and Commandant of Law.

Opium and Hashish have been seized, and a cousin of Dr. A. J. Gomes of Hongkong is.

A false report was circulated to the effect that 100 outlaws were in hiding in a grotto locality but a thorough search gave the rumour the lie.

By special leave of the Governor the captives, hostages and scenes of the late strife have been photographed.

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## RAMBLING NOTES.

It begins to look something like serious business when four substantial and up-to-date goods van stand on the main line at the Ferry terminus of the Kowloon railway. But I understand that the enterprise is being strangled at its birth by the non-arrival of the iron-work for the passenger cars. This should have been in Hongkong in January of this year. We have reached the end of July but like Sutor Amo when returning from the turrell all we can say is, "It cometh not."

In-cho past the Colony has suffered grievously at the hands of the Crown Agents, but I think the scandal connected with the Taihatsui market truck and now the non-arrival of the iron-work for the railway carriages takes the cake. How much longer will the Colony have to put up such outrageous treatment. I wonder. The Crown Agents are an institution that should be swept away in the interests of the public as well as for the good name of England.

I was glad to see that the second promenade concert at the Public Gardens was much better attended than was the first. The night was ideal for such a function, and the action of Sir Henry May in bringing a large company from Government House, and Major General Broadwood in doing ditto from Headquarters House, was greatly appreciated.

The band of the Buffs had seldom been heard to better advantage, and this only adds to the regret that we shall all be failing when we say good-bye to them. The Buffs have worthily maintained their high reputation during their stay in Hongkong as sportsmen and thoughtful soldiers and many residents will follow their subsequent career with interest.

The Kowloon Cricket Club concert\* on the Saturday night was another great success, but I venture to express a hope that in future more expeditions will be observed in starting the middle-interval should be curtailed and greater clarity used in bringing on the different numbers. A concert lasting from nine till 12 p.m., with the daw falling fast and heavily makes a rather stiff call upon one's physical endurance after the burden and heat of a July day.

My congratulations are extended to the Y.M.C.A. in finishing top-hat in the Lawn Tennis tournament. They made up their minds at the outset to go in for the thing thoroughly—which some Clubs certainly did not—and the result is that they have come out winners with a most satisfactory record.

Tennis and bathing, with a little golf now and again, are the principal amusements of Hongkong in the hot weather. It is a pity any boy sight these evenings to be in the habit of swimming and bathing along the Praya as the various bathing parties assemble and put forth to sea. No wonder Dr. Wilder said it was one of the attractions of Hongkong.

If Manila papers are to be believed the military transport Logan on its present voyage from Manila to San Francisco is to be a "dry ship." This is the order that Captain Abbott, the military commandant, has issued, evidently in consequence of the high jinks and scuttling junks which prevailed on the last outward voyage and which turned the transport into "a caitiff upon vandueille hoy." It seems that many of the passengers were unaware of the elicit until the Logan was at the point of sailing, and one veteran officer at once promptly asked the distances between Manila and Nagasaki, Nagasaki and Honolulu, Honolulu and San Francisco. On obtaining the information he remarked, more in sorrow than in anger, "It will be a long time before we are up to get hold of or even sight them. Nothing has been seen either of the third strange boat."

Captain Abbott has also forbidden poker-playing, bridge parties, or auction-pool on the ship's run. I wonder if he will be able to last through the voyage, or if his "Blue Laws" will not prove too great a burthen for him to carry right to the bitter end?

But, as the Manila Times remarks, this gentleman was out of luck. Others had prepared. "One man has a carbony of couch medicino and a salad spoon to serve it. Another has a trunk with a false bottom that presses against the lid. Another has a medicine chest. Another has a case of canned fruit. But there is not enough to go around and Nagasaki, Honolulu and San Francisco are to see some of the finest thirths that the parched tropics ever produced."

It is a very old song now that the Policeman's lot is not a happy one. But how about the wretched existence which a poor Disenting Minister is forced to lead in a rural district of England? The other day in his farewell address on leaving Great Bardfield Chapel to take up a postorate at Dover, the Rev. Alexander McDonald said that whilst Great Bardfield he had learned a lot of new ministerial duties. He found he was expected to beg for tea-meetings, socials, harvest festivals and bazaars; to be society steward, circuit steward, and treasurer of trust funds; to attend ladies' sewing meetings, arrange services of song, be choirmaster, draw up bills for the printers, and distribute them himself; to be general agent to the magazine agent and, in fact, be general troubadour to everybody. The latest duty he had to undertake was to buy for his salary, which was £715 a year. He had had to put off his services for what drives, for which money could be found, and more kindness had been shown him by individuals outside the church than in. He concluded by remarking: "The world would be better when some of the latter went to heaven. Let us hope that this is an extreme case."

Professor William James, the famous Harvard psychologist, was giving an attentive class remarkable instances of absent-mindedness. "And let us not omit from our catalogue," he said, smiling, "the well-known case of John Burdett Sanderson. Professor Sanderson sat at his desk in University College, lost in thought. It was Dr. E. B. Titchener, the great psychologist, who, taking the professor aside, asked him what he was doing. The professor moved the chair, the student lay his frog's lunch, a sandwich. Next to the sandwich lay a frog, not dead, but motionless—it had been the subject of a curious experiment in the lecture hall an hour before. At noon the student left the professor meditating before the sandwich and the frog, and at 1, when the student returned, the professor was meditating still. The sandwich was untouched, but the frog—the frog had disappeared."

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CHURCH SERVICES.  
St. John's Cathedral.  
SUNDAY, JULY 31st, 1910.10TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.  
Holy Communion (8.15 a.m.)  
Matins (11 a.m.)Responses. Ferial: Venite, Canticus;  
Psalm: of the 31st morning (at 8 a.m.); Te Deum, Oukley (15th evening); Julian: Ouseley; Hymns: 165, 370 and 298; Nunc Dimittis; Anthem: "Hail, gladdening Light"; Sanctus: "Sancte, Sancte, Sancte, Domine Amen"; (Stanford in B. 2a)

Voluntaries: "Clemente Toccata"; Tschai-kowsky; "Toccata"; D'Elvry.

Peak Church.  
Holy Communion: 8 a.m.Union Church, Kennedy Road.  
Minister: Rev. C. H. Hickling.  
11 a.m.—Worship. Hymn: 70, 87, 191.  
Te Deum. Anthem: You shall dwell in the land.12 noon—Communion. Hymn 71.  
6 p.m.—Worship. Hymn: 481, 161, (495), 240, 261.St Andrew's Church, Kowloon.  
Morning Service at 11 a.m. Holy Communion at noon. Evening Service at 6 p.m.

Preacher: The Lord Bishop of Victoria.

St. Peter's Church, Queen's Road West.

Holy Communion: 8.30 a.m.

Morning Prayer: 11 a.m.

Prayer: The Rev. Dr. the Bishop of Victoria. D. B.

Venice: Macaren: Psalms, Boreo, Battistini, Tonini; Te Deum, Woodward, Smar, Turle; Benedictus, Troutbeck; Hymns: 2, 152, 303.

Evening: 6.30 P.M.

Priest: Th. Rev. A. P. Crofton, M.A.

Psalms, Tu, Ti, Tari, Imbimba, Humphreys; Magdalene, Barnby; Nunc Dimittis, Monk; Hymns: 102, 349, 172, 15.

The Church launch "Daypring," will call on ships carrying white crosses to bring friends ashore to the services between 9.15 and 10.30 a.m. and between 11.30 and 12 p.m.

Kowloon Police Pia.

Morning and 6 p.m., returning afterwards.

The "Admiralty Innman" is the Call Gas.

All the fittings are free from unappropriated visitors are welcome. Books are provided.

Sunday School 10 to 10.45 a.m.

Christian Science Services.

ZETLAND ST. AT.  
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Regular Services: Sunday, 11.15 a.m.

Wednesday, 5.30 p.m.

Wesleyan Methodist Church.

Wanchai.

Morning: 10.15.

Evening: 6.15.

Soldiers' and Sailors' Home.

Aracon Street.

Evening: 8 p.m.

Deutsche Kirche.

Gottsdienst: —pm 11. Uhr in Bethesda Kapelle, Caine Road.

German Chapel (Deutsche Kapelle) High St. I.

German Service at 11 a.m. Pastor Johann Müller.

Roman Catholic, Cathedral, Glencairn.

From Sunday after Trinity: Low Masses at 6 and 7 a.m. High Mass at 8 a.m.

Sermon by His Lordship Bishop of Hong Kong.

20 a.m.—Low Mass.

10.30 a.m.—Conference of St. Vincent de Paul.

6 p.m.—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Rosary Church, Kowloon.

Masses at 7.30 and 9 a.m., followed by the Benediction of the Holy Sacrament.

St. Francis Church, Wanchai.

Low Masses at 8 and 7 a.m. Benediction of the M. H. Sacrament at 5 p.m.

St. Joseph's Church, Garden Road.

Mass with Sermon in English at 10 a.m. followed by the Benediction of the Holy Sacrament.

VERSUS AT THE DOCKS.

At Kowloon: Gloria, Pakiat, Hoanghae.

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## To-day's Advertisements

FIRE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF HONGKONG.

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By Order,

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

FROM PORTLAND &amp; JAPAN PORTS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargoes per Steamship HENRIK IBSEN.

The above mentioned steamers having arrived, Consignees of Cargoes are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of cargo from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed immediately and stored, landing and storage at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected.

All cargo remaining on board after SATURDAY, July 30th, at 5 p.m. will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

All cargo undelivered on SATURDAY, Aug. 6th, 1910, at Noon, will be subject to rent.

All chafed and otherwise damaged cargo will be examined at the above Company's godown on THURSDAY, Aug. 4th, 1910, at 10 a.m.

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PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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CONSIGNEES of Cargoes per Steamship SIBERIA.

The above mentioned steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargoes are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of cargo from alongside.

Cargo remaining undelivered d WEDNESDAY, Aug. 4th, 1910, at 5 p.m. will be subject to rent and landing charges.

No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected.

All chafed and otherwise damaged cargo will be landed at once a Company's godown at West Point.

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